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HYER, COLONEL JACOB, HOUSE (Col. Erkuries Beatty House)

STRUCTURE

(NJ-789)

19 Vandeventer Ave. Frame with clapboarding two-and-a-half story main block (symmetrical five-bay front) with one-story rear ell, gable roof with two pedimented dormers en-framed by pilasters, central doorway with side lights and elliptical fanlight, keyed lintels over windows, attenuated cornice with modillions and dentils; central hall

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plan, Adamesque mantels; Federal style details. Built ca.1785-90; semi-circular portico added ca.1816; moved from S. side of Nassau St. to present site 1875; portico replaced by two-story porch ca.1876; rear wing added late 19th c.; porch removed and house restored 1962. 4 ext. photos (1964), 2 int. photos (1964). NR (Princeton Historic District).

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